

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
DISTRICT COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

JOHN G. PEDICINI,
Plaintiff,

v.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, et al.,
Defendants.

Docket No. 04-12395-JLT

DEFENDANTS' CERTIFICATION OF COMPLIANCE
WITH LOCAL RULE 16.1 (D) (3)

Defendants hereby certify, pursuant to Local Rule 16.1(D)(3), that they have conferred with counsel on the following:

1. establishing a budget for the costs of conducting the full course, and various alternatives, of this litigation; and,
2. to consider the resolution of litigation through the use of alternative dispute resolution programs such as those outlined in Local Rule 16.4.

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